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~~AMENDMENT~~ TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)

Applicant(s): Atushi Murashima

**Docket No.**

14667

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/871,368	May 31, 2001	Michael N. Opsasnick	23389	2655	1756

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Application No. 09/871,368	Filing Date May 31, 2001	Examiner Michael N. Opsasnick	Customer No. 23389	Group Art Unit 2655	Confirmation No. 1756
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**Applicant:** Atsushi Murashima      **Examiner:** Michael N. Opsasnick  
**Serial No.:** 09/871,368      **Art Unit:** 2655  
**Filed:** May 31, 2001      **Docket:** 14667  
**For:** VOICE DETECTING METHOD      **Dated:** February 27, 2006  
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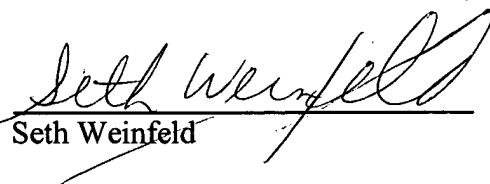
In response to the Final Official Action dated December 27, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in light of the following amendments and remarks.

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